**PATENT** 

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In re Application IVAN B. SCHRODT ET AL.	) Examiner: O. IWARERE
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## AMENDMENT RESPONSE TO DECEMBER 2008 FINAL OFFICE ACTION

And

## REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF FINALITY OF THE OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In view of the Examiner's Final Action of December 10, 2008, applicants hereby respond as follows: